

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
)	Group Art Unit: 1651
Gregory, <i>et al.</i>)	
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Application No.: 10/525,893)	Examiner: Deborah K. Ware
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Filed: July 8, 2005)	Confirmation No.: 9625
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FOR: ASSAYS FOR THE DETECTION OF)	
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
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Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated November 11, 2008. Please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 4.